



**TO:** Superintendents, Business Managers, Business Officers, Finance Directors, and Treasurers

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**SUBJECT:** May State Tuition Support Payment Update

The Office of School Finance finalized the May State Tuition Support payment for school corporations and charter schools. The updated Form 54 Monthly Distribution of State Tuition Support can be found at <https://stateaid.doe.in.gov/>. This is a secure site and will require a login and password. The login is the 4-digit corporation number and the password is the corporation PIN.

As a result of COVID-19, there was retroactive change in the Indiana Medicaid Federal match rate. The effective date of the change was January 1, 2020. The SMAP rate used to determine Medicaid withholding was 34.16% and is now 27.96%. The change affected previous Medicaid adjustments reflected on the Form 54 for the months of February, March, and April. The end result is a plus Medicaid (other adjustment) amount as part of the May state tuition support payment using the revised rate for Medicaid withholding amounts. Staff used the amended rate to calculate the normal monthly May Medicaid withholding reflected in the "Other Minus" column.

If you have questions about this information, please email me at [mambre@doe.in.gov](mailto:mambre@doe.in.gov).